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Tonight
McIntyre & Heath
in
"Hello Alexander"
Curtain at 8:30.
All reservations must be paid
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STAR THEATRE
TODAY
WILLIAM RUSSELL in
"The Cheater
Reformed"
A surprising story with en-
thralling heart interest.
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"THE ROON-RIDERS"
—Here Saturday—
"HUCKLEBERRY FINN"

HARDING OBSERVES WILSON'S WISHES IN INAUGURAL, WRITES TO CHIEF EXECUTIVE

President-Elect, Will Make Plans
to Conform to Latter's
Desires

TWO MEMBERS OF THE CABINET ANNOUNCED

Admits Herbert Hoover and
Henry Wallace Have Been
Tendered Portfolios

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—President Wilson has received a letter from President-elect Harding stating that the President-elect's inaugural plans will be made to conform to Mr. Wilson's wishes in so far as the President's participation in the inaugural is concerned, the White House announced today.

The President-elect stated in his letter that he did not desire to make any plan for the President's participation in the inaugural, but would prefer to leave that matter to the wishes of the President, it was stated.

President Wilson is desirous of following all precedent and will participate as far as his physical condition permits, it was announced.

TWO MORE NAMED (International News Service)

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 25.—President-elect Harding today classed up two more places in his cabinet by confirming the appointments of Herbert Hoover to be Secretary of Commerce and stating that "unless there should be some unforeseen contingency" Henry Wallace, of Iowa, will be the Secretary of Agriculture.

DEFINITE PROGRESS TOWARD PEACE IS MADE AT LONDON

LONDON, Feb. 25.—Definite progress toward ending the warfare which has been raging in Turkey for months was made by the Near East conference today. The Ottoman delegates pledged Turkey to abide by the allied commission's decision regarding the future status of Turkish territory on condition that the Greek army in Anatolia is not moved nor is reinforced.

Premier Lloyd George informed the Greeks that they must abide by the decision of the allies regarding Near East affairs.

OPTIMISM KEYNOTE MERCHANTS MEET

Optimism was the keynote of an enthusiastic meeting of the Albany Retail Merchants Association, held in the rooms of the Albany chamber of commerce last night.

Reports showed that business is unusually good here and expressions from many of the city's most prominent business men advanced the belief that business in North Alabama will continue to improve during the spring months.

The meeting was well attended and a number of important business questions were discussed by the membership.

Deed Received for State Prison Site

(International News Service)
MONTGOMERY, Feb. 25.—The city has received from the United States government the deed for the Forbes land, the site of Camp Sheridan. Abstracts of this property have been made and it is expected by the city commission that a deed to the property will be made to the state of Alabama today.

The property is being sold to the state for the new penitentiary site. Immediately after the state receives the deed, work will commence on the penitentiary building.

Train is Robbed, Men Loot Mails of Huge Fortune

(International News Service)

ROAD HOUSE, Ill., Feb. 25.—

Three men, armed with rifles, held up the Chicago and Alton trains, running from Kansas City to Chicago, shortly after midnight last night and escaped with a registered package and registered letters taken from the mail car.

The amount of the loot is not known but it is reported that the bandits obtained \$125,000 shipped by a Kansas City bank to a bank in Chicago.

According to Engineer Donahue, the

bandits halted the train near Louisiana, Mo., by waving flags. As he slowed down, the three men leaped aboard the engine, covered Donahue and his fireman with their rifles and forced them to detach the mail and baggage cars from the train.

The bandits then forced the engineer to drive a mile or more ahead, which brought them across the Mississippi river. There two robbers guarded the train crew while the third entered the mail car and robbed it.

The bandits then deserted the train and disappeared in the darkness.

Plea of Former Jeopardy May be Made By Sergeant Robert L. Lancaster

(Montgomery Bureau Albany-
Decatur Daily)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 25.—

Reports that attorneys for the nine national guardsmen charged with the execution of William Baird, miner, after he was removed from the Walker county jail, January 13 will file a plea of former jeopardy in behalf of Sergeant jury spread throughout the state yesterday afternoon. Several attorneys have expressed the opinion that action of the state in dismissing the case against Lancaster after he had been placed on trial one time and his rearrest on another warrant will support the plea of former jeopardy and that he will be entitled to liberty.

It became known late last night that a well known Magic City attorney, who

has given a greater part of his time to criminal practice, had said Lancaster probably would never be tried again because he was placed in jeopardy one time when his case was called in the circuit court of Marion county on a charge of venue. Other attorneys also expressed the opinion off-hand without consulting law books that there is something in the suggestion.

Harwell C. Davis, attorney-general, said he did not believe such a plea could be supported as Lancaster had not been acquitted or convicted and when the jury reported its inability to reach a verdict Lancaster's case assumed a status which was the same as before he was ever called before the bar or justice. However, his opinion was rendered without investigation and was represented as being no more than the off-hand belief of one who had not looked into the question.

Thirty Candidates Will Try For Place On the American Legion Baseball Team

The American Legion will enter the proposed city league this season according to a decision reached last night at a meeting of the post in the Albany city hall. Dr. G. M. Davenport, pastor of the First Methodist church, opened and closed the meeting with prayer.

Approximately 30 candidates already have signified their intention to try for a place on the Legion's ball squad, reports tabulated last night showed. Some very good material is contained within the Legion organization and prospects are good for a successful year.

The decision of the ex-service men to enter the proposed league leaves but two vacancies now in the proposed four club circuit, the American Telephone and Telegraph company already have organized a team. It is expected the Kiwanis club and Y. M. C. A. will have the other two berths.

Robert Banks, for many years a member of the "Y" squad was elected captain of the Legion squad last night and B. M. Bloodworth was named business manager.

The Legion decided to purchase needed equipment and furnish it to the team.

Andrew Jackson Policy Sends Case to the Alabama State Supreme Court

(Montgomery Bureau Albany-
Decatur Daily)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 25.—

Will the famous policy enunciated by Andrew Jackson, "to the victor belongs the spoils," be sufficient to establish the right of Judge W. L. Longshore, Republican judge of the eighteenth judicial circuit, to remove Democrats from appointive office of his circuit and to give the positions to faithful Republicans? This question came to the supreme court today when W. L. Runyan, register of the circuit court of Clay county, asked the supreme court to prohibit Judge Longshore from hearing a contest case which he had filed in Clay county

against the right of James W. King, Republican, to succeed him.

Interesting correspondence was set out in the petition in support of the contention of Runyan that he was removed and King was appointed because Runyan was a Democrat and supported the Democratic ticket while King was a Republican and supported the Republican ticket.

Runyan's petition set out Judge Longshore's letter announcing his removal and the appointment of King. It said the competency of Mr. Runyan was not questioned and that the removal was because "of the doctrine enunciated by that famous Democrat, Andrew Jackson, 'to the victor belongs the spoils.'"

Nothing Definite From Six Escapes

Despite the close investigation conducted by officers to discover the whereabouts of the six negroes who escaped recently from the Morgan County jail, officers have heard nothing definite from them, it was stated today. The officers have not given up hope of being able to recapture the negroes.

SKULL CRUSHED (International News Service)

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 25.—With his skull crushed, his clothing partly stripped from his body and covered with brush and bits of wood, the body of an unidentified boy, about 15 years old, was found this morning near Bridge Junction, Ark., just across the river.

Police believe he is a Memphis boy. He had been hit over the head, his trousers, shoes and socks removed and brush piled over the body.

Gambling Rocked By Arrest Today

(International News Service)

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—The foundations of national handbook gambling are tottering today, officials declared as the result of indictments by the Cook county grand jury of Mont. Tennes, alleged chief of the "syndicate" and seven others. Tennes, sought for years as "the handbook king of the Middle West" and reputed to be a millionaire, is charged with conspiracy under the old common law.

The organization, the indictment charges, for years has been operating a national racing handbook and clearing house for returns.

Another Office is Opened by Doctor

Dr. Wooten, chiropractor, today is opening a second local office in the Eyster building. Dr. Wooten will conduct offices in both Albany and Decatur, he stated.

CHAOS FOLLOWS DENIAL OF COURT FOR A REHEARING ON HIGHWAY ACT

W. S. Keller Has Gone to Wash-
ington for Conference With
Government

STATUS OF EX-SERVICE MEN STILL IN DOUBT

Several Public Officials May be
Forced to Resign
Their Jobs

(Montgomery Bureau Albany-
Decatur Daily)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 25.—

Two big facts stand before the public as a result of the decision of the supreme court Thursday refusing an application for rehearing filed by the state in an effort to sustain the validity of the twenty-five million dollar bond issue—the fact that road work will be seriously interfered with and that the highway department will be forced to reconstruct its organization and the further fact that thousands of persons who served in the army and navy during the war do not know whether they are qualified voters of Alabama.

W. S. Keller, state highway engineer, has gone to Washington for a discussion of road problems in Alabama, having left before the supreme court announced its ruling. No statement of the plans of the department has been obtained, but the general opinion was that the state organization perfected with the view of starting road work as soon as the first of the highway bonds were sold must be disbanded to await a day when more funds can be obtained.

At present the highway commission has forces of engineers at work in various sections of Alabama. The state has been divided into districts with district headquarters in charge of district engineers. Contracts already let will take all funds which the state can obtain; therefore, there will be little need for further preliminary work until funds can be obtained.

Soldiers and sailors exempted from the payment of poll taxes by the other amendment which was ratified on a day appointed by the governor do not know whether they are citizens or not. The supreme court declined to pass upon this subject, stating that a decision would be rendered when the case is properly before the court. It is claimed that forty thousand soldiers and sailors were exempted from the payment of poll taxes by the amendment and that if it is invalid many persons elected to public offices will be forced to retire because no person can hold an office in Alabama until he has become a qualified elector. It is probable that a test case will be brought, at once in order to establish the legality of the poll tax amendment.

DEVELOPMENT AIR CRAFT MOST VITAL THING SAYS DANIELS

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The development of air craft is the most vital single consideration with which the navy has to deal in the opinion of Josephus Daniels, who, on March 4, retires as Secretary of the Navy after eight years of service.

"If I were coming in as Secretary of the Navy, I would make the consistent note of my administration, sounding loud above everything else, the development of aviation," the Secretary said in an interview today.

Editor to Preach at Westminster

Dr. Jas. E. Clarke, Editor of "The Presbyterian Advance" Nashville, Tenn., and a member of the board of Education of the Presbyterian church will preach at Westminster Church Sunday morning and evening. This will be an opportunity for local people to hear this able divine who comes not so much in the interest of institutions which he represents but to occupy the pulpit in the absence of the pastor, Dr. Goodwin, who will be absent from the city.

GOVERNOR KILBY APPOINTS 3 MEN TO SETTLE STRIKE IN STATE'S FIELDS

Commission Includes Sheehan,
Hobbie and Durr as Med-
iation Board

EXECUTIVE SEEKS MEN ENTIRELY OPEN MIND

Confers With Several Persons
About Plans for Strike
Settlement

(International News Service)

MONTGOMERY, Feb. 25.—

Gov. Kilby late Friday appointed W. T. Sheehan, R. M. Hobbie and John W. Durr a mediation board to gather the facts from both sides in the coal strike situation and report to him for final settlement.

This committee will confer with Major H. G. Davis, Attorney General, and look into all records bearing on the case before making any plans of procedure.

It is safe to say that they will then go to Birmingham for further investigation before making the report to the Governor, whom, it is understood, is free to be governed by it or act in any way he deems wisest.

(Montgomery Bureau Albany-
Decatur Daily)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 25.—

After devoting a greater part of the day to the consideration of plans for the adjustment of differences between the coal operators of the Birmingham district and their employees under the agreement which caused the ending of the strike of the United Mine Workers Tuesday, Governor Kilby late Wednesday announced that it may be several days before he is able to make public the names of the men who will compose a mediation commission. Governor Kilby has practically decided that a commission will be named and desires time in which to go over the list of citizens of Alabama who should be considered in the selection of the commission.

Governor Kilby desires to find men for this work who are true representatives of the state and its people and who will approach the task with open minds and whose previous attachments in politics, business and society will not cause a leaning toward the one side or the other. There is no indication that any persons who have taken part in the strike or in the opposition to the strike will be consulted. John W. Altman, Birmingham attorney, who has represented various labor organizations in their litigation, came to Montgomery Wednesday morning, but did not see Governor Kilby at the capitol. Mr. Altman called at the executive department about a pardon, but this business did not call for a conference with the governor.

Another indication is that the governor will request the commission to gather all evidence which the coal operators and coal miners submit, the evidence touching upon all matters involved in the strike, and to submit this evidence in writing to the executive department. Governor Kilby is expected to go over the evidence and make his own decision, a decision which, according to the agreements signed by the coal operators and representatives of the striking miners' organization, will be accepted and put into effect without delay.

Governor Kilby conferred with several persons about plans for the settlement of the strike during the day. Harwell G. Davis, attorney-general, was with the governor several times during day. Other side officials also were called into conference with the governor at various times.

Makes Survey for City of Decatur

Z. Trimble has been employed to make a survey for the City of Decatur to ascertain how many families, living in the same house, are served by a single water meter. Similar information is being gathered in Albany by C. M. Livingston.

SHOALS PLAN AGAIN BEATEN IN THE HOUSE

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The \$10,000,000 appropriation for the Muscle Shoals project, incorporated in the sundry civil bill by the Senate, was rejected by the House this afternoon. By a vote of 193 to 182 the House rejected a motion, made by Representative Mann to concur in the Senate amendment, providing for the appropriation.

The House instructed its conferees to continue their objection to the appropriation. The Senate conferees insist and the question may be brought before the House again.

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The Muscle Shoals appropriation of \$10,000,000 was taken up today in the House in the final fight of the session on this project.

During the day the fate, at least temporarily, of this improvement will be determined.

As it now stands the Senate conferees on the sundry civil appropriation bill are insisting on acceptance by the House conferees of the appropriation of \$10,000,000 for the Muscle Shoals project, voted by the Senate.

The House conferees refused to agree because the House voted down the appropriation some time ago and brought the matter back for another vote in the House.

Representative James R. Mann, of Illinois, Republican, opened the debate today in support of the appropriation. He urged completion of the project as a sound business proposition. He advocated it also on the ground of its value as a fertilizer producing plant in peace times and as an assistant stabilizer of fertilizer prices, both matters of vital importance to the farmers of the entire country, he said.

Representative Longworth, Republican, Ohio, opposed the appropriation for Muscle Shoals on the ground that it was an "outrageous" expenditure.

"For ten years," he said, "I have fought until I was black in the face against this project."

HEAVY SALE OF TICKETS TODAY ALL STAR SHOW

A heavy sale of tickets today indicated a record audience tonight to welcome McIntyre and Heath and their all star company at the Princess. This is the first opportunity Twin City theatre-goers have had to see these two noted stars of blackface comedy and the pastebards were going rapidly.

In one hour Manager Cagle stated \$200 worth of tickets were sold to the performance tonight. Sixty-five extra chairs have been placed in the dressing rooms and an extra crew of stage workers have been employed to handle the show which carries two car loads of scenery and has a company of 70 people. Four dressers were employed here to assist the chorus and principals in their numerous changes of costumes.

McIntyre and Heath are starring this season in "Hello Alexander", described as a musical extravaganza, without plot, but with plenty of mirth and melody.

The stage manager of the company, who arrived here early this morning just ahead of the company, was busily engaged in making measurements of the princess stage and completing other preparations for placing the massive scenery.

The doors will be opened at 7:30 o'clock and patrons were asked to avoid being late as the ushers will be taxed to the limit to seat the immense crowd.

LOCAL PEOPLE IN NEW COAL COMPANY

Announcement was made today of the organization of the Shelby-Cahaba Coal company, in which many local people are interested. The company is incorporated in Jefferson county, with the home office in Birmingham, and owns leases on a large acreage in the Eureka coal basin.

Officers and directors of the company are: W. E. Wilmot, Birmingham, president; E. L. Thomas, Albany, vice president; P. O. McGlathery, Birmingham, secretary; E. L. Thomas, J. A. Thornhill, Dr. R. M. McGlathery, W. E. Wilmot, P. O. McGlathery, directors.

The leases are said to total more than 400 acres and the acreage is in Shelby county, near Helena on the Louisville and Nashville railroad.

MAPOTHEP NOW IN CHARGE OF ROAD, SUCCEEDING SMITH

W. L. Mapother, of Louisville, Ky., now is in entire charge of the Louisville and Nashville railroad system, succeeding the late Milton H. Smith, according to advices received here today. Mr. Mapother will remain in charge of the road until the annual elections of directors by the stockholders on April 21, it was stated.

Mr. Mapother for sometimes has been first vice president and general manager of the road under the late President Smith. It is expected that he will be elected to the presidency when the directors take formal action on a successor of Mr. Smith.

BRITISH SOLDIERS ARE DEFEATED BY SINN FEIN TROOPS

(International News Service)

DUBLIN, Feb. 25.—One of the biggest battles in the warfare which has been raging in Ireland, was fought today near Bally-Vourney when the crown forces were defeated by a heavy section of the Irish Republican army.

It is known that two members of the crown forces, one of them the major in command, were killed and upwards of 6 wounded but the total casualties have not been checked up. According to information received this afternoon the crown forces, being outnumbered, were compelled to retreat after an action of two hours, leaving part of their wounded behind them on the battlefield.

Cashier Robbed of His Payroll

(International News Service)

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—After fighting a pistol battle with L. E. Pomgren, cashier, four automobile bandits today escaped with \$10,000 payroll money of the Western Newspaper Union. Pomgren was felled by a blow from the butt of a pistol but drew his gun and fired at the bandits until they vanished in their automobile. The robbers returned the fire but the cashier was not wounded.

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GRADY'S PRESCRIPTION

"When every farmer of the South shall eat bread from his own fields and meat from his own pastures, and disturbed by no creditors, and enslaved by no debt, shall sit amid his teeming gardens, and orchards, and vineyards, and dairies, and barn-yards pitching his crops to his own wisdom and growing them in independence, making cotton his clean surplus, and selling it in his own time, and his own chosen market, and not at a master's bidding—getting his pay in cash and not in a receipted mortgage that discharges his debt, but does not restore his freedom—then shall the fullness of our day."

Quoting Henry Grady, above, H. S. Caldwell, writing in Farm Facts, declares Mr. Grady's prescription is still a good one. It is true. The pity of it is that we have long not long since learned the lesson and benefitted by our experiences of the past.

The crop diversification campaign now on in Alabama and the plan for cotton acreage reduction are measures of incalculable value to Alabama. Surely the public generally has been convinced during the past six months that the farmers' problems are problems for all of us. As he is prosperous, in a general way, are we all prosperous. It is high time that each and every one of us gave to the two campaigns all of the support of which we are capable.

The first crop diversification campaign in Alabama was beneficial—let us make the second campaign bear even better results!

HONORING THE DEAD

General Pershing's suggestion that the body of an unidentified American soldier be brought home and laid to rest, while the nation does the soldier honor, will appeal to Americans in all walks of life. General Pershing says "there has been no national expression since the war ended to give the people an opportunity to show their appreciation of the sacrifices these men made."

However, the bureau of graves has requested that the ceremony be postponed until after the work of identifying the dead shall have been completed. The bureau hopes that time will bring the identification of practically every American who fell in France. Advances from Washington indicate the request will be complied with.

It is well to give the bureau every opportunity to discover the graves of every khaki-clad hero who gave his all, but it is to be regretted that the work of the bureau has been no more thorough than it has. Ever so often we read in the daily press of the reappearance of some soldier, thought to have been dead, but was really alive, or some mistake in the identification of a returned body.

It is natural that loved one of those who fell, should want their soldier hero to rest under American soil. It is natural that many should request the war department to send the body home. As much as America desires to honor the memory of her dead it is the least the nation may do for those who gave their sons to permit the identification of the bodies to be as complete as possible.

CHURCH ADVERTISING

Here are some of the replies which the author received:

"We spend \$1,200 a year for advertising, keep our church jammed with 3,000 people, get an average of \$200 a Sunday in loose collections over and above all regular contributions. The \$25 a week spent for advertising brings in \$100 at least, so we make \$75 a week on the proposition and have the additional people to preach to besides."

"Spent \$60 on publicity in October and received in contributions and pledges in special offerings outside the regular weekly contributions."

"My increase has been tenfold or more of the expense, and then the results are incomputable."

"Would say that experience would demonstrate the fact that when advertising is wisely done, it more than pays for itself in extra collections, aside from the influence of reaching more people."

"The consequent increased collections pay for the advertising. Then you have the advantage of having more people to preach to without any extra expense."

Upon some of the other results of advertising the following replies were received:

"Attendance is better; and we can never know in this world the good results of the printed sheet, many of which do good while they do not lead to church attendance."

"An advertisement, like a tract, may turn the course of some person's life. We make a mistake in measuring the results by the collection plate. They will yield returns some day to the kingdom of God."

"Keeping the church in the people's mind keeps them thinking about religion."

"Advertising has greatly helped in my work, even increasing the attendance forty per cent."

"It aids in securing an audience and adds to the membership in proportion to the ability of the preacher to present the gospel of Jesus Christ as the Divine Savior from sin."

"My own experience has proven that by following up the advertising with personal work, the membership has been increased one-third in less than three years."—Baptist Publication Handbook.

"GO STRAIGHT"

Henry Starr, who was pardoned two years ago by the governor of Oklahoma, his sentence for robbing a bank being shortened by a kind-hearted but mistaken executive, who died from a wound received while attempting to rob a bank in Arkansas. Starr's boast was that he had been the most successful bank robber. He had robbed more banks than any other man in the country. His advice, delivered on his deathbed, was "Go straight."

Part of this advice comes from Starr's conscience as he faced death; and the rest from his mind, as he remembered all he had done and what he got by it. No man more successful in his line of business; yet, at the end, he advises young men to avoid that line, because it does not pay. Starr did not mean simply it does not pay in money, but it doesn't bring any other sort of reward that is adequate. Some persons go in for the excitement of adventure and took that into consideration also, and declared it worthless. He should know; for he has every extensive experience; and he should be believed. On his dying bed, Starr spoke the truth.—Mobile Register.

EAST AND WEST MEET AT GRAVE OF SOLDIER

East and West, clad in khaki and in the sombre black of mourning, met and joined hands not long ago at the funeral of Hong Chow Lee, member of San Francisco's Chinese colony, who gave his life in the Argonne fighting for America. It was a day filled with scenes that the California city will long remember—scenes such as the funeral parade that wound its way through the heart of Chinatown with men of The American Legion as pallbearers and Chinese veterans as an honorary escort.

In front of the hearse was an automobile draped with the flag and carrying a huge photograph of the dead hero, according to the Chinese custom, while the procession itself was led by a Chinese band. At the church Legionnaires knelt side by side with members of the Chinese colony as the ceremony was read under the joint auspices of The American Legion and the Chinese Six Companies.

The body of Hong Chow Lee was laid to rest in the Chinese cemetery with a parting tribute from Charles J. Kendrick, National Executive Committeeman from California:

"Soldier and citizen, farewell. Comrade, I salute you"—American Legion Weekly.

GOOD ROADS COST MORE THAN CANAL

Some years ago the world looked on the construction of the Panama canal with a feeling closely approaching awe. The United States, at an enormous expense, was putting through a project at which other nations had failed.

Yet, today, so have the times progressed, this country is putting through a project costing more than did the canal, and about which we give scarcely more than a passing thought.

According to a dispatch from Washington, "federal-aid highways constructed last year cost more than double the average amount spent annually for ten years in building the Panama canal. The cost of the work completed during the fiscal year of 1920, including the amount paid by the states, totaled approximately \$80,000,000."

"The construction of the canal," continues the dispatch, "is regarded the world over as a record-breaking achievement in respect to the dispatch with which it was carried out. The cost, however, was only \$373,000,000, and a ten-year period was required to complete it, the average rate of expenditure being only \$37,000,000 a year."

Perhaps in no other single way could the rapidly growing interest of the country in good roads be emphasized than through this comparison with the building of the Panama canal. And in the carrying out of this vast road-building program may be found the reason for the rapid development and steady prosperity of the country.—Gadsden Journal.

FINANCIERS

Alabama men are taking a leading part in the big work of the nation, and The Birmingham Age-Herald says that "with Otto Marx on the foreign finance corporation, W. P. G. Harding head of the reserve board, Oscar Wells helping Cuba rearrange her financial affairs, and Frederick Thompson, vice chairman of the shipping board, Birmingham and Alabama are well represented in the big work of the nation."

And all the state takes a pardonable pride in the fact that these big Alabama financiers are being recognized for their real worth in national affairs. All four of them will make good and prove an honor to their state.—Montgomery Times.

FIRE PREVENTION STUDY MAY BE ADDED IN SCHOOLS

America's frightful waste through fires is causing plans for prevention to be seriously considered by national and state governments. One of the plans proposed is to have fire prevention and fire-fighting taught in the schools. Back of this movement is the National Forest Service, which is endeavoring to have state legislatures in states where there are large forests, enact laws including fire prevention in the studies in the rural school.

The prime reason for fire prevention lessons is the conservation of forests by the prevention of forest fires. Rural school children will cooperate with foresters in saving the trees.

It is proposed, too, that fire prevention lessons be taught children in city schools. Some of them are in forests at some time of their lives. When not concerned with forests these city dwellers are concerned in things more easily burned than forests—their own homes, for instance.

Fire prevention lessons will be fine for the children.

They will help the children in two ways. First the children will learn how to prevent fires; second, they can teach their parents how to reduce the hundreds of millions of dollars of fire losses this country has to make good every year.—Aniston Star.

High Admiral Scheer, who commanded at the battle of Jutland, claims he was the winner in the race back to the home port.



Patricia Carr, as "Hope" in the wonderful play, "Experience" at the Princess Wednesday, March 2.

WALKER COUNTY'S JURY REASSEMBLES TO INDICT SOLDIERS

(International News Service)
JASPER, Ala., Feb. 25.—The Walker county grand jury investigating the death of William Baird, reassembled a few minutes after ten o'clock this morning.

Indictments will be returned against the nine members of Company M, Alabama National Guard, previously charged with the killing of Baird, today.

It is expected additional indictments against five other persons, some of them civilians, either charging murder or being accessories to the crime, will be returned.

Sixteen witnesses were summoned to testify. After hearing the evidence it is believed the jury will submit its formal report to Judge Sowell. According to statements here this morning, if additional indictments, other than those against the nine guardsmen, are returned, the identity of those indicted will not be revealed until they have been placed under arrest.

Troxell Tied Up, Still is Guarded

The Steamer Troxell is still tied up at the local landing, officials announced this morning, and a guard still is being maintained aboard the steamer. It has been rumored for several weeks that a settlement of the Troxell case was pending, but officials stated a settlement has not yet been reached.

LAKE IS NATURAL WONDER

Body of Water That Has Many Remarkable Qualities Is Found in North Australia.

Lake Eyre is one of the wonders of the continent. The district is actually below the level of the sea, yet in the near neighborhood of the lake are some fine springs of water that may be considered fresh in that cattle will drink from them. So, too, can drovers, though the water has a medicinal effect which prejudices them in their appraisal of its value.

In the center of the lake is an island of rare beauty. A legend is that, many years ago, perhaps when the first droving party (Doctor Black's) took cattle through to the Northern territory, one of the more daring of the party of white men, unheeding the warning of the blacks an "old man debil-debil" lived in the lake, and fed on men who ventured into the water, undertook to get to the island. He started away on horseback, but did not return. The blacks, who have mysterious means of communication, gave it out that his horse had made the island, where the animal was seen by some of them long after the cattle party had gone. That proved the legend as far as they were concerned.

One of the peculiarities of the water of the lake is that it will preserve anything thrown into it. It is exceedingly buoyant. Stones thrown into it do not sink. (It may be stated that some of the stone—the kind that does not sink—would probably float in any kind of water, being pumice of the lightest variety, almost spongy in texture.)—Sydney (Australia) Times.

A Perfect Likeness.
Woman is like a time table. She is subject to change without notice.—Life.

Machinists Break Season's Record

In defeating The Daily in last night's "Y" bowling tournament, the Machinists broke the season's record when they bowled a total of 950 pins in the second game of the series.

The scores follow:
Machinists
Yarbrough 144 199 123
Karter 187 200 143
Sittason 101 171 132
Swanson 151 202 116
McCauley 149 172 153

Albany-Decatur Daily
Codrington 90 149 101
Kirkland 74 111 96
Ezell 123 125 150
Bloodworth 152 94 107
Knight 149

Mental House Cleaning.

The majority of people need a mental house cleaning. Mental filth and scum never contribute to clean living. Learn to tackle big problems and contribute your mite to the world's progress. When the mind sees things in the right perspective you can build noble structures on the concept. And as you build the ideals will expand in scope, taking breadth and altitude as the mind dwells on "the worth while." There has never been a greater challenge for men of giant mind than now. Yet so often what glows in promise is little more than the effervescence of fevered ideals. Men need the clean life. It offers nothing it cannot fulfill. The progress of it may be slow, but it rises to heights never reached by men of degraded mentality. You can reform the past if you think and do right. Step into the forefront and lead men out of the present unrest into clean, noble living that will exalt the nation.

His Collection.

There is a curious game played by educators, which consists in sending questionnaires to some hundreds, or some thousands, of school children, and tabulating their replies for the enlightenment of the general public. The precise purport of this game has never been defined; but its popularity impels us to envy the leisure that educators seem to enjoy. A few years ago 1,214 little Californians were asked if they made collections of any kind, and if so, what did they collect? The answers were such as might have been expected, with one exception. A small and innocently ironic boy wrote that he collected "bits of advice." His board was the only one that plucked curiosity.—Agnes Repplier, in Atlantic Monthly.

Curse of Embonpoint.

"The prima donna refuses to sing."
"What's the trouble?" asked the vaudeville manager.
"She says she won't follow the acrobats."

Cinch It.

Miss Mugg—If you were me, dear, would you be married in the spring or the autumn?

Miss Keen—If I were you, and had actually secured a man, I would arrange the wedding for the earliest date possible.

Novel Blotter Pad.

To save the time wasted by pen users in picking up and laying aside ordinary blotters, a western inventor has devised a means for attaching the absorbent paper to the wrist, where it is available for instant use, but does not interfere with the movement of the writer's hand. The contrivance includes a curved leather holder, into which a small blotter can be fitted, and a strap for fastening the device in place.

Insure with Calloway. (Adv)

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Albany, Ala.

Statement of Condition of THE TENNESSEE VALLEY BANK

DECEMBER 31, 1920

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$3,040,971.61	Capital Stock.....\$ 150,000.00
Demand Loans.....168,766.97	Surplus and Profits.....184,110.97
Bonds and Stocks.....220,564.50	Reserve for depreciation.....16,356.62
Overdrafts.....716.90	Bills Payable.....652,500.00
Banking Houses (16).....73,500.00	Reductions.....36,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures (16).....30,000.00	Deposits.....3,025,165.27
Real Estate.....9,793.50	
Cash and due from banks.....519,821.28	
	\$4,064,132.86
	\$4,064,132.86

The above statement does not include statement of the Peoples' Bank, Sheffield, Ala., which was merged with this Bank after close of business December 31, 1920.

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PERSONALS

M. W. A. Moles was in Decatur Saturday. Mrs. Wiesehan, Mrs. A. B. Murphree and Miss Melba Holdridge were in Decatur last Saturday shopping. Mr. Dewey Hightower was in Decatur last Saturday. Mr. Wallace Heflin was in Decatur Tuesday. Judge J. E. Kump was in Decatur Saturday on business. Moulton Advertiser.

Rev. James Fennell, of Leighton, Ala., is seriously ill of influenza.

A. G. Patterson, of Montgomery, is here today.

E. H. Allison is reported as somewhat better today.

E. L. Simpson, of Oxford, Ala., is with his father, W. R. Simpson, who continues seriously ill with Bright's disease, at Curtis Wells.

Rev. R. F. Stuckey left this morning for Montgomery and Electric, Alabama, where he will be for a few days during Rev. Stuckey's absence there will be no services morning or evening at First Baptist church, Albany.

R. W. Cowart left today for Atlantic City to attend the National Educational association to be gone about ten days.

'TIPPECANOE AND TYLER, TOO'

Election Rallying Cry That Figured in Election of William Henry Harrison as President.

"Tippecanoe and Tyler, too" was the rallying cry of the Whigs in the election of 1840. William Henry Harrison was the choice of the Whigs. The Whigs adopted no platform, and the only issue was whether or not the Jackson-Van Buren "machine" should remain in power. Even among the Democrats there was much discontent. To attract this discontented element, the Whigs nominated for vice president John Tyler of Virginia, who was a well-known anti-Jackson Democrat. The campaign was the most exciting the United States had seen up to that time. Harrison's election was attributed to his military record. The election is often called "the log cabin and hard cider campaign." One end of Harrison's house at North Bend was an old log cabin which had been covered with clapboards. A campaign biography said that Harrison's table, "instead of being covered with exciting wines, is well supplied with the best cider." At first this simplicity received jeering from the Democrats, but the Whigs seized the opportunity to make the democracy of their candidate a feature of the canvass. Miniature log cabins and barrels of hard cider generally were in appearance whenever a Whig orator spoke. Harrison received 234 electoral votes to 60 for Van Buren.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the District Court of the United States, for the Northeastern Division of the Northern District of Alabama.

J. J. Henry, Plaintiff, vs North Alabama Traction Company, Defendant.—In Equity.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors of or claimants against said company who claim that said company is indebted to them, or that they possess any cause of action against it, and to all others who may assert any claim against it, that pursuant to an order made and entered by the Hon. W. I. Grubb, Judge of the United States District Court for the Northeastern Division of the Northern District of Alabama on February 2, 1921, in the suit therein pending entitled: J. J. Henry, Plaintiff vs. North Alabama Traction Company, Defendant, all such creditors, claimants and other persons are required to file said claims with the Receiver of said defendant corporation on or before the first day of May, 1921, and on or before said date to present to said Receiver and file with him a statement of said claim or claims, duly verified by affidavit, specifically setting forth any preferences or priorities, if any, alleged or claimed against the estate of the North Alabama Traction Company; such claims to be filed with the Receiver as aforesaid at his office in the building of the North Alabama Traction Company at Albany, Alabama.

Said order provides that no creditor of or claimant against said defendant, who claims that it is indebted to him, or that he possesses any cause of action against it, and no person who asserts any claim against it who fails to file such statement or proof of claim on or before said date as hereinbefore directed, shall hereafter be permitted to assert any claim whatsoever against the estate of said defendant in the hands of such Receiver, or to share in any distribution thereof whatsoever. Dated February 5, 1921.

A. A. HARDAGE, Receiver
North Alabama Traction Company.
Foster & Eyster, Attorneys.
or Receiver. Feb 11-18-25

BIRTH
Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCowan, of Birmingham, Feb. 21, a son.

Men Short in France.
The average height for men is 5 feet 5 inches, and for women is 5 feet 2 inches. The observation indicates that 85.10 per cent of the French people have chestnut hair. The blondes are next in order, forming only 12.32 per cent of the population. Pure black hair is found in 1.83 per cent—that is, slightly more frequently than red hair, which altogether was found in only 0.72 per cent of cases.

Pure black hair, so rare in France, is the rule in certain Mediterranean countries (for instance, in definite regions of Spain).

His Great Talent.
"Blank's a great artist, isn't he?"
"No."
"But he gets big prices for his work."
"Yes, he's a mighty good salesman."
—Boston Transcript.

Chinese invented the potter's wheel. A diamond mine gets better with depth.

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SOCIETY NEWS

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CLUB CALENDAR

Friday
Perry Street Rook Club, 3 o'clock. Mrs. Vera Austelle.
Friday Afternoon Rook (2:30 p. m.) Mrs. J. A. Moore.
Friday Night Bridge. Mrs. E. J. Baird.
Bridge Luncheon Club. Miss Helen Wallace.

Saturday
Flappers Club.
Saturday Club.

SALAMANDA CLUB ENTERTAINED
The Salamanda Club entertained informally Wednesday evening, giving a dance at the home of Mrs. J. D. Gary. The rooms were attractively decorated with ferns and flowers for the occasion. "Punch" was served throughout the evening. Those present were: Misses Mildred Gilbert, Welma McDonald, Ethel and Dorothy Bass, Merrica Lassiter, Quince Ensler, Thelma Leonard, Ruth Gary, Laura Collier, Pauline Godwin, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bass, McDonough, Dixon Aldridge, J. D. Harris, Teddie Reynolds, Walter Newman, Carl Weaver, Ernest Lambert, Thomas Gary, William Babcock and Edwin DeLoach. —Birmingham News.

Mrs. W. I. Baker, who is convalescing, after an operation, at the St. Vincent Hospital, Birmingham, expects to return to her home at Trinity, Saturday of this week, Miss Ella Kirk will accompany her mother.

WHY BRICK CHIMNEYS LEAN
Reason Generally Ascribed is Alternate Wetting and Drying to Which They Are Subjected.

Between the wagon builder, alternately wetting and drying a board to bend it to the desired shape, and the house chimney, grotesquely leaning toward the east, brick masons say there is similarity. The leaning chimney is a subject on which even the doctors disagree, but the theory referred to seems the most plausible.

Chimneys lean toward the east. A little observation anywhere will prove this. Even the best-built affair of brick and mortar, acquiring age, often begins to lean. Various theories are advanced, but the explanation of alternate wetting and drying seems the best.

Chimney walls collect more or less moisture during the night, on all sides. Now, if the broad side of the chimney is toward the east, and if the sun strikes that part of the chimney first, that side dries out much quicker than the north or south side, or the western side. In time of rainfall, the east side ordinarily is dried the quickest. This general condition has the effect of pulling the chimney toward the east.

A motor car runs best at night.

Mrs. J. R. Gray, of West Albany, attended the funeral of Mr. Sam White, of Athens yesterday.

Initial Spring Showing

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FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red, eggs, 15 for \$1.50, 100 for \$7.50. J. M. and S. L. Ryan, Albany, Ala., R. 2, Box -59, Phone 200-2 rings. 23-3t

FOR SALE—Detroit Wickless Oil Stove, as good as new. Will sell for about 1-3 price of new stove. Can be seen at 411 Fourth Ave West. 23-3t

SPECIAL ON CABBAGE PLANTS—Several million extra fine, most too large for parcel post, which we will ship this week by express at \$1.50 per thousand, 5000 for \$6.25; early Jersey, Charlestone, Drumhead, Parker Farms, Moultrie, Ga. 19-3t

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CLERKS—(men, women over 17 for Postal Mail Service. \$125 month Experience unnecessary. For full particulars of examinations, write R. Terry, (former Civil Service Examiner) 18 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C. 23-3t

WANTED—Small second-hand iron safe. 610 Second Ave., Albany, Ala. 23-3t

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WANTED TO BUY—For cash any issue of 4 1/2% U. S. Liberty Bonds at \$84 plus accumulated interest. Jones Cotton Company, 516 Bank Street. F16-3t

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LOST—Several days ago, 1 right hand Osborne make black driving glove. Finder please return to E. P. Childs, Phone Albany 444J. 123-3t

LOST—"What must I do to be saved?" For the answer hear this subject discussed at the morning services at the Jackson Street Church of Christ on February 13, 20 and 27. Bible Study 10 a. m. We welcome all. 16-2w

MISCELLANEOUS

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COTTON MARKET
OPENING BEARISH

(International News Service)
NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The cotton market opened weak today under heavy selling, first prices being 12 to 27 points lower. All months touched new low prices for the season. Bearish influences were weak cables, a lower stock market, another break in London silver and a report of demoralized Manchester market.

The South was the principal seller and there was further liquidation for speculative accounts.

Sheriff to Atlanta
After a Prisoner

Sheriff J. V. May left this morning for Atlanta to take a negro woman, believed to be Curly Baine, wanted here in connection with the shooting to death of Willie Pete, another negro, just prior to the Christmas holidays. Sheriff May went by way of Montgomery to obtain extradition papers.

Military Accord is
Reached by Allies

(International News Service)
PARIS, Feb. 25.—An Anglo-Belgium military accord has been reached and is on the eve of being signed, said a Brussels dispatch to a Paris newspaper today. The pact will complete the triple accord of France, Belgium and Great Britain against Germany.

Work of Drafting
Reply to U. S. On

PARIS, Feb. 25.—The work of drafting a reply to the American mandate note was begun today. It was being put in shape by A. J. Malfour, former British foreign secretary. The reply is expected to be sent to Washington next week.

**HUSBAND SAYS WIFE
BRANDED HER CHILDREN**
CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Anna Marie Cashin branded her two children—Bryon, five, and Grace, seven—with a hot iron. David Cashin, her husband, charges in a divorce petition. The Cook County Social Service Bureau is investigating.

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LABOR'S LEADERS
HEAR THE DETAILS
OF SETTLEMENT

(International News Service)
BIRMINGHAM, Feb. 25.—Seven hundred and fifty officers, representing 140 locals of the United Mine Workers of America, gathered at Ben Hur hall here at 11 o'clock this morning in answer to the summons of Van A. Bittner, international representative, for a conference of officers of the organization to explain the details of the settlement of the coal miners strike. The officers were to be in executive session throughout the day.

PLINY CREDITED WITH YARN
Ancient Roman Said to Have Original
Remarkable Story Concerning
Habits of Tiger.

According to Pliny, when a hunter wished to catch tiger cubs he must be provided with a very fleet horse, and have another in reserve. "When the tigress finds her lair empty she darts forth and tricks them by the smell. When she comes up to the hunter he throws one of the whelps to her, with which she returns to her lair. Then she rushes back, and he throws another to her; and this goes on till he reaches his ship."

Equally interesting is the account in the "Physiognomy" which explains that "the hart despoils the water brook" because it had been inhaling the breath of dragons. So having filled its stem, each from the brook, it drowns the dragon out of its hole and slays it with its antlers.

Unicorns seem to have given much trouble in those days, and were exterminated in a most unorthodox fashion. "The hunters place a virgin near the spot where the unicorn has its abode. The unicorn, seeing her, runs and places its head in her lap, doing her no harm." This very natural action proves his undoing, for "then cometh the hunter and killeth it."

Here is the reverse of the picture: "But if she be not a pure maid the unicorn will not sleep, but killeth her." This legend is also carved at Chester, England.

Bluffer Finally Unmasked.
For a time a chatterbox may outshine the wiser man whose tongue wags less. But, in the end, as Solomon long ago assured us, "a prating fool shall fall." The man whose brain works full time finds bluffing unnecessary. His talk is profitable, not only to himself, but to all with whom he comes in contact.

HOUSE LEADERS IN HILDA DRUG CO. TO
PESSIMISTIC MOOD
ON CHANCE TO PASS
APPROPRIATION ACT

Money Measures in Danger of
Being Left to Die on
Calendar

MANY MILLIONS PUT
ON BY THE SENATE

House is Now Determined to
Enforce Its Policy of
Economy

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—House leaders today were pessimistic for the first time over chances of passage at the present session of Congress of all the appropriation bills.

The Senate committees have added \$100,000,000 to the naval bill as it passed the House and about \$42,000,000 to the army bill besides raising the permissible enlisted strength of the army from 150,000, as fixed by the House, to 175,000.

The House is determined to enforce its policy of economy. The navy and army bills, as they come from the Senate, will probably be rejected by the House and the fight against the huge increases made by the Senate will be fought out in conference.

It is the present temper of the House leaders to have the House conferees stick out finally against many items of appropriations inserted in these bills by the Senate committees. To win their economy fight, House leaders say, they will carry their opposition to permitting the bills to fail of passage at the present session.

HOUSED IN OLD BUILDINGS

Financial Institutions of Yorktown,
Virginia, Do Business Among Historic Surroundings.

Within 20 miles of where the first English settlement in America was made at Jamestown is the scene where Capt. John Smith records the story of his rescue by Pocahontas, the daughter of the Indian chief, Powhatan. Within a circle of 20 miles is to be found the oldest Protestant church in America; the kitchen where Martha Washington cooked in good colonial style; the college which has graduated three presidents; Bruton church, in which more men of historical importance have worshipped than in any other church in America—and Yorktown, where Cornwallis surrendered to Washington.

Although Yorktown has a population of less than two hundred, it has two banks, both of which are working in what are probably the two oldest buildings used for banks in America. One of these banks, operating under state and trust company laws, is housed in the historic oldest customhouse built in America—erected in 1715. Here the ships for Philadelphia were once compelled to enter and clear. Here at one time was the gathering place of the financiers of the early colonists. Wall street has taken away the financiers, but has left the same old building with its same old walls of English brick, some 24 by 40 feet square and two stories high.

Immunity From Second Attack.
The United States public health service says that it is well known that an attack of measles or scarlet fever or smallpox usually protects a person against another attack of the same disease. To some extent this appears to be true also of influenza. Just how long such protection lasts is not known.

Good Things
to Eat

Country Hams, per lb.	30c
Country Shoulders, per lb.	22c and 25c
Country Sides, per lb.	22c and 25c
Army Corned Beef, can	20c
Army Roast, 2 lbs. net, can	30c
New York Cream Cheese, pound	40c
Limberger Cheese, pound	50c
Bulk Kraut, 3 pounds	25c
Bulk Sweet Relish, pound	30c

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Fancy cuts of Round, Loin and T. Steaks	15c	Native Pork, per lb.	17 1/2c 19c and 20c
Fancy No. 7 Porter	12 1/2c	Kansas City Pork Loin	25c
House Steak	15c	Chops, per lb.	20c
Fancy Roasts, per lb.	10c and 12c	Pork Sausage, per lb.	20c
Chuck Roast, per lb.		We have a fine lot of nice Country Shoulders at	20c

We Guarantee every pound to be 16 oz. or no pay—Come or call us—We will Deliver the goods.

PHONE ALBANY 451

DIXIE MARKET

"The Father of Cheap Prices"
J. R. DOSS, Manager

EXTRA! EXTRA! FIRE SALE!

50
SALESPeOPLE
WANTED

BIGGEST SENSATION SINCE THE SAN FRANCISCO EARTHQUAKE

50
SALESPeOPLE
WANTED

\$30,000.00 WORTH OF GOOD MERCHANDISE
AT 30c ON THE DOLLAR

SALE OPENS SATURDAY, FEB. 26

PROMPTLY AT 9:30 A. M.

The Stock of W. W. Garnett & Co. Has Been Given to the Albany-Decatur Salvage & Commission Company to Be Immediately Sold in
OLSHINE BUILDING, BANK ST., DECATUR

WITH EVERY PURCHASE WE GIVE COUPONS.
TO THE PERSON HOLDING LARGEST NUMBER
OF COUPONS ON SATURDAY, MARCH 12, 1921.
WE WILL GIVE FREE A \$150 TAILING MACHINE.

FREE
FIRST 50 PEOPLE TO ENTER STORE SATURDAY
MORNING, 9:30, WILL BE GIVEN TICKETS WITH
NUMBERS—LUCKY NUMBERS, CALL FOR
PRIZES—SEE WINDOWS FRIDAY.

Water Soaked—\$25 value once

**ONE LOT MEN'S AND
YOUNG MEN'S SUITS**
FIRE SALE **\$1.05** EACH

To kill old High Prices
Keep Cutting
Men's \$3.00 to \$5.00 Values
WORK PANTS

FIRE SALE **\$1.95** EACH

Any old time is a good time,
now is the accepted time.

Men's \$7.00 to \$10.00
—SHOES—

FIRE SALE **\$1.95** EACH

Better than Gold
Dollars for 50 cents.
MEN'S FELT HATS
\$7.00 to \$10.00 values
FIRE SALE **\$1.95** EACH

NOW LISTEN—And I will tell you a story, the like of which has never been told. The oldest Mercantile Establishment in Decatur and Albany, on the night of February 8th, 1920, caught fire—I'm telling it looked like a total loss, absolutely a wreck. The Insurance adjusters considered it so and positively gave it to the Albany-Decatur Salvage and Commission Co. Well to make a long story short, we dug in and you would be astonished, really amazed at the condition of the stock when the debris and fallen timbers were removed. Why man alive! there is world's of it unscorched, untinted. Merchandise just wet, we have dried it out, and you can hardly tell it has ever been through a catastrophe, and now can't you see what this means for you. There is no human conception of the low prices that will prevail in this, the greatest of all Sales. Why it doesn't make any difference what price, just any old price we happen to think of first, in fact a buyers' market, you set the price. Read carefully the items listed: Men's Clothing, extra Pants, Shoes, Hats, Underwear, Socks, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Neck Ties, Etc., Ladies' Wear, Skirts, Silk and Cotton Waists, Silk and Cotton Hosiery, House Dresses, Aprons, Petticoats, Bungalow Aprons, Shoes, Slippers, Oxfords and Pumps, Silk and Wool Sweaters in a gorgeous array of colors, latest styles and colors, actually they are beautiful, Children's Dresses, Shoes, Hose, Underwear, Groceries, Queensware, Tinware, Onion Sets, Garden and Field Seeds, Rope Twine and everything must go.

Albany-Decatur Salvage & Commission Co.

Now in the Olshine Building, Bank Street, Decatur, Ala.

Be Wise Shoppers—Let's Go
Men's and Boys' Linen Collars
You know the price
Soft and Stiff

FIRE SALE **1c** EACH

LINGER LONGER HERE

MEN'S \$2.50
WHITE DRESS SHIRTS
Soiled

FIRE SALE **10c** EACH

CASH IS KING—
In the Fight, with Merchandise
Right.

INFANT'S STOCKINGS
FIRE SALE **3** PAIR FOR **10c**

FROZEN STIFF
But we are warming up the
Price.

ALL BOTTLE DRINKS
FIRE SALE **3c** PER BOTTLE

Ladies' Shoes and Oxfords
\$8.00 to \$10.00 Values
FIRE SALE **\$1.98** PAIR

Red, Yellow and White
FIRE SALE **5c** PER POUND

EXTRAPANTS
Values to \$10.00
FIRE SALE **\$2.98** PAIR

HALF HOUR SALE 9:30 to 10:00 O'clock GRANULATED SUGAR Absolutely fresh FIRE SALE 5c Per 5 lbs. to a Pound Customer	HALF HOUR SALE 11:00 to 11:30 O'clock BEAUTIFUL PLATE MEAT Fresh goods FIRE SALE 10c Per 5 lbs. to a Pound Customer	HALF HOUR SALE 11:00 to 12 O'clock BEST GRADE FLOUR Self Rising and Plain FIRE SALE \$1.00 Per 1 sack to a Sack Customer	HALF HOUR SALE 12:30 to 1:00 O'clock BRUTON & GARRETT SNUFF 5c Cans FIRE SALE 3c Per 1 to a Can Customer	HALF HOUR SALE 2:00 to 2:30 O'clock BOYS' OVERALLS Sizes 4 to 8 FIRE SALE Sell you 1 pair Give 2 pair Free \$1.00	HALF HOUR SALE 3:30 to 4:00 O'clock LADIES' HOUSE DRESSES \$1.50 Values FIRE SALE 69c EACH
The Ripe Juicy Plums are Picked First. LADIES' THREAD SILK HOSE \$1.50 value, slightly damaged FIRE SALE 69c PER PAIR	Tis the little things in life that count—just so a little cash works wonders here. LARGE TURKISH BATH TOWELS FIRE SALE 39c \$1.00 Value	Caught in a Price Maelstrom MEN'S ALL WOOL 3 Piece SUITS \$45.00 to \$60.00 Values FIRE SALE 10 BUCKS	BOYS' CLOTHING Wear Pledge—All Wool \$25.00 Former Price FIRE SALE \$9.95	MEN'S OVERALLS 220 Denims \$2.50 Values Slightly Damaged FIRE SALE 98c PER PAIR	You come see for your self— is your money you are spending GINGHAM DRESSES Slightly Damaged FIRE SALE 29c
LISTEN Fire Touched Them— 1 Rack Men's, Ladies and— CHILDREN'S COATS FIRE SALE 19c EACH	Brighter, Bigger and Better Bargains MEN'S ALL WOOL BLUE SERGE PANTS \$12.00 to \$15.00 Value FIRE SALE \$4.98	MEN'S SUMMER UNION SUITS Old \$1.25 Sellers FIRE SALE 69c	Men's Ribbed SHIRTS AND DRAWERS Bought to sell \$1.25 Slightly Damaged FIRE SALE 29c	MEN'S GREY SOCKS MEN'S FANCY 1/2 HOSE LADIES' BLACK HOSE FIRE SALE 9c PER PAIR	If for any Reason you are Not Entirely Satisfied With Any Purchase, your money will be cheerfully Refunded. No Questions Asked.